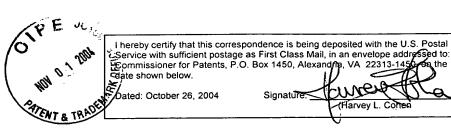
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## AMENDMENT ACCOMPANYING REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

Dear Sir:

Applicants submit the following amendments and remarks in connection with a Request for Continued Examination of the subject application pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.114. Entry is respectfully requested. Furthermore, reconsideration of the amended claims is respectfully requested.